

Surendranath College  
Department of English in collaboration with  
IQAC presents

# OEDIPUS ~~TRILLOGY~~

ONE DAY EXTENDED  
LECTURE SERIES

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SPEAKER  
DR SAMRAT SENGUPTA,  
SAMMILANI MAHAVIDYALAYA,  
CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY  
ON 17TH SEPTEMBER, 2019, 12 PM  
CHEMISTRY GALLERY

SURENDRANATH COLLEGE  
DEPARTMENT OF EENGLISH IN  
COLLABORATION WITH IQAC  
PRESENTS

## One Day Extended Lecture series on

POPULAR CULTURE AND LITERATURE

SPEAKER  
DR.SWATI MOITRA, GURUDAS COLLEGE  
ON 17TH SSEPTEMBER, 2019,12 PM  
AT CHEMISTRY GALLERY

## **Activity Report**

**Name of the Event:** ‘One-Day Extended Lecture Series-2’

**Topic 1-** Oedipus Trilogy: Exploring the Moral Economy of Epidemiology and Human Knowledge

**Invited Speaker 1:** Dr. Samrat Sengupta, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Sammilani Mahavidyalaya, West Bengal, India.

**Topic 2:** Popular Culture and Literature

**Invited Speaker 2:** Dr. Swati Moitra, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Gurudas College, West Bengal, India

**Date:** 17.09.2019

**Time:** 12 pm

**Venue :** Chemistry Gallery, Surendranath College.

**Organized By:** The Department of English, Surendranath College (in collaboration with the IQAC).

**Number of participants:** 80-85 (approx.)

### **Summary of Lecture 1:**

The event began with an inaugural address delivered by the Principal, Dr. Indranil Kar, followed by the words of inspiration delivered by the IQAC Coordinator, Dr. Suchandra Chatterjee. The Head of the Department, Jahira Hossain, introduced the speaker Dr. Samrat Sengupta.

The seminar was about the place of Oedipus *Tyrannus* in literature. It is a story that, as Aristotle says in the *Poetics*, makes one shudder with horror and feel pity just on hearing it. The play's relentless exploration of human nature, destiny, and suffering turns an ancient tale of a man's shocking history into one of the core human myths. The issues of destiny, predestination and foreknowledge are raised as problems not as dogma. The purpose of the lecture was to show us

the issues of choice and predetermination as a box of mirrors to bewilder each generation. The session was very interactive and the students were benefited by the talk, which is evident from their positive feedback which we received.

### **Summary of Lecture 2:**

The Head of the Department, Jahira Hossain, introduced the speaker Dr. Swati Moitra. Cinema is considered to be the most popular of cultural practices reflecting a plethora of social, economic and cultural phenomena in modern societies. It is the most complex and powerful art form in the present world. They shed light on political and spiritual matters and provide catharsis of the soul. She discussed **The Great Dictator**, the famous satirical movie on Adolf Hitler, starring Charlie Chaplin. The lecture was highly informative and raised a lot of queries from the students.

The event was brought to a conclusion by the Vote of Thanks delivered by Madhulina Bauri, Assistant Professor, Department of English.

### **Link to the Flyers of the Event:**

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FhEvWRmHWaiQrEIxYXA1P9P\\_yj5Qb7-i/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FhEvWRmHWaiQrEIxYXA1P9P_yj5Qb7-i/view?usp=sharing)

### **List of the Participants:**

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1YxSzBxagskLc\\_GE0xeDgU4NkROXsmq6E9hy8MyRdpFM/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1YxSzBxagskLc_GE0xeDgU4NkROXsmq6E9hy8MyRdpFM/edit?usp=sharing)

### **Link to the Pictures of the Seminar:**

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1KT5FKwTjk6mmqWbRWLA\\_BHFTIEk26-Qh?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1KT5FKwTjk6mmqWbRWLA_BHFTIEk26-Qh?usp=sharing)



Serial No.	Name of the Participant	Subject
1	Disha Roy	English Hons.
2	Mouli Dutta	English Hons.
3	Jenny Paul	English Hons.
4	Suman Rout	English Hons.
5	Sail Bari	English Hons.
6	Shahina Parveen Khan	English Hons.
7	Manasi Ghosh	English Hons.
8	Sanjukta Das	English Hons.
9	Mrigakshi Roy	English Hons.
10	Sneha Chakraborty	English Hons.
11	Subhajit Naha	English Hons.
12	Ankita Sharma	English Hons.
13	Sananda Mondal	English Hons.
14	Riyanka Kundu	English Hons.
15	Bishal Saha	English Hons.
16	Supriya Mondal	English Hons.
17	Debkanya Mitra	English Hons.
18	Mahua Pal	English Hons.
19	Javed Akhtar Molla	English Hons.
20	Souvik Das	English Hons.
21	Akhtar Ali	English Hons.
22	Jyoti Mandal	English Hons.
23	Tiyasha Chatterjee	English Hons.
24	Anish Pal	English Hons.
25	Priyanka Naskar	English Hons.
26	Mainak Biswas	English Hons.
27	Sourav Sarkar	English Hons.
28	Falguni Maity	English Hons.
29	Soumyajit Mondal	English Hons.
30	Bharati Kumari	English Hons.
31	Tuhina Roy	English Hons.

32	Nagma Nasrin	English Hons.
33	Arijit Das	English Hons.
34	Nabanita Sen	English Hons.
35	Moumita Bhattacharya	English Hons.
36	Sarbari Dutta	English Hons.
37	Jyotisekhar Datta	English Hons.
38	Tarik Aziz Munna	English Hons.
39	Ansika Chakraborty	English Hons.
40	Mou Sengupta	English Hons.
41	Mouli Bose	English Hons.
42	Sahasra Baran Sen	English Hons.
43	Archismita Rajguru	English Hons.
44	Asmi Banerjee	English Hons.
45	Indra Kumar Chauhan	English Hons.
46	Sanjana Dutta	English Hons.
47	Triyasha Das	English Hons.
48	Bikram Saha	English Hons.
49	Shazia Naaz	English Hons.
50	Soheli Pal	English Hons.
51	Kunowmee Mandi	English Hons.
52	Rachit Raj	English Hons.
53	Swarnali Das	English Hons.
54	Reshma Parvin	English Hons.
55	Sourav Majumder	English Hons.
56	Pritam Das	English Hons.
57	Sarowar Hossain	English Hons.
58	Smriti Sarkar	English Hons.
59	Pritam Pradhan	English Hons.
60	Annesha Chakraborty	English Hons.
61	Anuka Saha	English Hons.
62	Sweta Mishra	English Hons.

63	Sumi Pandey	English Hons.
64	Bidisha Mukherjee	English Hons.
65	Anisha Santra	English Hons.
66	Poulome Roy	English Hons.
67	Sufia Islam	English Hons.
68	Anindita Chakraborty	English Hons.
69	Sagata Mondal	English Hons.
70	Basiruddin Sk.	English Hons.
71	Riti Goswami	English Hons.
72	Shruti Shukla	English Hons.
73	Tandrima Saha	English Hons.
74	Roksar Khatun	English Hons.
75	Sristi Roy	English Hons.
76	Sayantan Bhunia	English Hons.
77	Gopal Hazra	English Hons.
78	Monisha Mondal	English Hons.
79	Nasmin Sultana	English Hons.
80	Prama Das	English Hons.
81	Ritu Sahani	English Hons.
82	Sinchan Mahato	English Hons.
83	Ankita Bose	English Hons.
84	Sanhita Mondal	English Hons.
85	Debanjoli Gupta	English Hons.
86	Sayan Mandal	English Hons.
87	Hitangshu Mondal	English Hons.
88	Sahanaj Dewan	English Hons.
89	Sunny Ghosh	English Hons.
90	Soma Garai	English Hons.
91	Tanay Bhattacharjee	English Hons.
92	Mekhla Raha	English Hons.
93	Kushal Paul	English Hons.

94	Anjali Singh	English Hons.
95	Mousumi Bhakta	English Hons.
96	Rivu Roy	English Hons.
97	Poulomi Dhar	English Hons.
98	Sutanuka Pal	English Hons.
99	Sambita Manna	English Hons.
100	Mrinal Nandy	English Hons.











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17/01/19

DEPT. of English  
SPEAKERS

- Dr. SAMRAT SENGUPTA
- Dr. SHATI MOTRA









